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Subject: Settlement issue

Hi,

Regarding the MSFT settlement as an Apple user I'm a little concerned. I did not see any provision that prevented MSFT from not excluding Apple's OS from their development plans. For exapmle Apple would have gone out of business if MSFT did not make the deal with them to continue development of Office. And Apple had to sell 10% of the company to them to do it. What about Linux?

MSFT has become the most powerful application developer because of the OS monopoly. What does the settlement do to address this issue?

Thanks,

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